

**Easterling, Deborah**

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**From:** Easterling, Deborah  
**Sent:** Monday, October 31, 2011 3:26 PM  
**To:** 'Jerry Knighton'  
**Subject:** RE: Form Returned: Letter\_of\_Protest\_Form\_pub\_0001.pdf

Dear Mr. Knighton,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your email to the Public Service Commission. I am forwarding your email and Letter of Protest to our Clerk's Office for processing. Your email and Letter of Protest will become a part of Docket No. 2011-271-E and will be posted on our website under this docket.

Please let me know if you should require any additional information.

Sincerely,

Deborah Easterling  
Administrative Assistant

-----Original Message-----

From: Jerry Knighton [<mailto:jerrykn@bellsouth.net>]  
Sent: Saturday, October 29, 2011 9:09 PM  
To: Contact  
Subject: Form Returned:  
Letter\_of\_Protest\_Form\_pub\_0001.pdf

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Instructions to add this form to a responses file:

1. Double-click the attachment.
2. Acrobat will prompt you to select a responses file.

\* Required Fields

Letter of Protest



Date: \* October 31, 2011

in Docket \* \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**Protestant Information:**

Name \* Charles Jerry Knighton

Mailing Address \* P.O. Box 364

City, State Zip \* Wellford, S.C. 29385 Phone \* 864-949-8359

E-mail JerryKn@bellsouth.net

**1. What is your connection or interest in this case? \* For example, are you a customer of the Company that is the subject of this pending proceeding? (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)**

Duke Power Is our Electric Power Provider.

**2. Please give a concise statement of your protest. \* (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)**

I know Duke power is a good and reliable Company. However this is not a good time to raise rates. Pay has been frozen where I work for 5 years and I'm glad I still have a job. A lot of people don't have jobs anymore and more and more people are loosing their home,cars and everything they have. My wife no longer works and so I carry most of the burden to pay bills With my pay frozen and very little if any overtime we don't put much money into savings as there is little left. I feel Duke is entitled to a modest raise as I know the price of fuel has risen However what they are asking is way to much. We ask you to give the little guy a break not a hand out

**3. Do you wish to make an appearance at a hearing in this proceeding , if scheduled, and offer sworn testimony? \***  
(This section should be completed.)

I would not be able to make an appearance but thanks for the invitation. I will be at work